REMARKS

Reconsideration and removal of the grounds for rejection are respectfully requested.

Claims 1-43 were in the application, claims 1-23, 27, 28 and 43 were previously withdrawn in response to a restriction requirement. Claim 24 has been amended.

Entry of this amendment is respectfully requested as resolving the inconsistency between independent claim 24 and dependant claims 34 and 38 as pointed out by the Examiner in the Advisory Action. Claim 24 is now consistent with all the dependant claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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